

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

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Santa Fe, NM

STATE OF NEW MEXICO *ex rel.*
State Engineer,

Plaintiff,

v.

ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*,

Defendants.

69cv07941 JC

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DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM
Rio Gallina, Section 5

ANSWER TO COMPLAINT FOR ADJUDICATION OF WATER RIGHTS

COMES NOW Mary L. Espinoza (please print your full name)
MARY L ESPINOZA

and answers the complaint as follows:

<u>Subfile No.</u>	<u>Object</u>	<u>Claim No Right</u>
CHGA-02-0028	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M.E.	<input type="checkbox"/>

1. In answer to Complaint: For each subfile listed above, please initial in one of the two boxes to indicate whether you object to the description of water right(s) contained in the State's proposed Consent Order, or whether you make no claim as to the water right(s) described in the State's proposed Consent Order.

If you object to the description of water right(s) and reject the State's proposed Consent Order, or if you make no claim as to the water right(s) set forth in the State's proposed Consent Order for any of the Subfile Numbers listed above, for each such Subfile Number please explain in the appropriate spaces below.

I object to the description of the water right(s) described by Subfile Number(s) CHGA
02-0028 because

I only own part of this tract. It has been subdivided
between my brothers and sisters. I have drawn approximate
boundary lines on the attached subfile map.

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2. I understand that by making this claim and filing this document I am not waiving my rights to later raise, in an Amended Answer, any jurisdictional or affirmative defenses I may have.

Dated: 1/9/01

Mary Espinoza

(Signature - MARY L ESPINOZA)

P.O. Box 164

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(Address: Print Clearly)

(Phone Number: Print Clearly)

IMPORTANT: If you have been served with a summons and copy of the complaint in this action, or if you have waived service of process, you must file an answer in the United States District Court for the District of New Mexico by August 31, 2000. Any right you may have to use waters of the stream system may be adjudicated by default judgment in conformity with the State's proposed Consent Order if you fail to file an answer by August 31, 2000. The court's address is: 333 Lomas NW, Suite 270, Albuquerque, NM 87102. A copy of the answer filed with the district court must also be sent to the Office of the State Engineer, Legal Services Division, P.O. Box 25102, Santa Fe, NM 87504-5102.



STATE OF NEW MEXICO Office of the State Engineer Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer	Legend	Scale 1 Inch = 300 Feet	Subfile Number CHGA-020028 Cordova/Martinez Ditch
Rio Chama Stream System Hydrographic Survey RIO GALLINA SECTION			

Grid North

Irrigated Tract Boundary
No Right Tract Boundary

Operable Ditch
Inoperable Ditch

Headgate

Scale
1 Inch = 300 Feet

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Cordova/Martinez Ditch

02/28/00